

Warren County Ohio Beekeepers Minutes

11/8/2020

Zoom meeting with Paul Dorger.

Attendees: Paul Dorger	Ken Maggard
Terry Lieberman-Smith	Cori Yeagar
Lauri Egar	Tyler Baurnet
Keith Mealy	Patty Siebert
Geoff Hultgren	Terry
Mike Hutchinson	

Paul called the zoom meeting at 1:30.

We went through the people attending and were told how many hives we each have and how long we've been beekeeping. Paul apologized for no meetings and mentioned that the church had strict guidelines for meeting there. Because our December meeting was always a Christmas get-together and the church says no food, there will be **no meeting in December**.

Getting Your Hives Through Winter

- Good time to treat for disease and mites/small hive beetles
- Starvation
 - Candy boards and moisture
 - Mike brought up building moisture boards to also absorb condensation.
- Blocking the entrance to mice

Discussion about the Bee School in January:

Terry Smith agrees we should have the bee school in January. Geoff Hultgren has done a lot of work towards the bee school and may have secured Building A at the Fairgrounds for the school. We will let people know when we have an exact date.

Hope to have another **zoom meeting in February** and then **meet in person in March at the church**. We will see how this pans out.

Patty Siebert
Secretary